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OF MANUFACTURING A RETARDATION FOIL

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RULE 116 AMENDMENT

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified case under the provisions  
of 37 C.F.R. 116 as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Claim 1, line 12, change "foils, making" to -- foils making--.

REMARKS

Claim 1 has been amended to eliminate a grammatical error in  
line 12.

An early allowance of the claims and case is requested.

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